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Mr. Wakeford, the contractor for the harbour works, also a contract for supplying the metal to the Corporation of Sydney. A schooner loads three or four times each month, taking 80 tons each trip.

Out on the western side of the cape may be discovered the town of Kiama, the famous "Blow-hole," heard of as back as the year 1797, when Mr. Bass made his ex-

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Relative to the Darwinian part of his letter, I desire to call your attention to the fact that I have already publicly stated that my object was simply, as a citizen, to draw public attention to important wants in the regulations of the port; and having (with your correspondent's kind assistance) done so, I will leave the personalities to be made by those who knew no other arguments.

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CHINA, AUGUST 2.

The Audience question at Peking has been settled, the Emperor of China agreeing to receive foreign Ministers in person.

Another Mohammedan rebellion is threatening.

The new Chang coal is favourably reported of.

Kinderpest prevails at Shanghai.

A Chinese rice company has been formed.

The P. and O. steamer Bokhara, when leaving Hongkong, struck on an unknown rock, and returned in a sinking condition with eleven holes in her bottom, but the vessel is now undergoing repair. No blame attached to the captain by the Court of Inquiry.

The Lewis Troupe are successfully performing in China.

The native schools, in which English is taught, are becoming very popular in Japan.

An ancient Christian Church has been discovered in the interior.

The papers debate on the folly of ordering Australian coal for the naval vessels on this station, when good cheap coal can be got on the spot.

The Oriental Bank is to open a branch at Nagasaki.

Admiral Brunen has succeeded to the command of the Russian fleet.

LONDON, JULY 11.

On the 20th June, six samples Victorian wines, half red and half white, were tested in London by experts in European wines, in presence of a small company. The red samples were Bilywn, Ngarvono, and Caribinet Sauvignon; three white, Jvinhoe, Ngarvono, Verdello, all of different type and fairly representing the products of vineyards in the Melbourne district. The trial resulted most satisfactorily; compared with French and German of a similar class they exhibited a high standard of excellence. A commercial inquiry may be looked for.

The Admiralty Court at Cadix have released the crew of the steamer Murillo, under pretence that there is no proof that she collided with the Northfleet. The captain's certificate has been suspended for twelve months for not rendering assistance to an unknown vessel. Lord Carnarvon has denounced this monstrous decision, and Earl Granville said that neither Mr. Layard nor the Consul at Cadix was implicated in this miscarriage of justice; the production of the correspondence is promised.

The Lisbon Customs sentenced a captain to pay 200,000 reis and tonnage dues, for entering the Tagus and suddenly leaving, although having cargo for Lisbon.

Mr. Chevalier is painting for the Prince of Wales the opening of the Vienna Exhibition, representing the scene during the reading of the address to the Emperor by the Archduke Charles.

Mr. Oswald Brierly is painting a large picture of the ship Galatea for the Duke of Edinburgh.

During a discussion on the Military estimates, Lord Eliche asked whether the Department could not advantageously introduce Australian tinneed meats; Mr. Storks replied that the soldiers refused to eat them.

On July 2nd, a spirited experiment was made by Tallerman's Meat Co. to test the practicability of preparing and distributing over London several hundred meals of Australian and English fresh meats and vegetables, the average cost of each family's meat being ninepence. A large number of gentlemen were present to witness the experiment, the results of which were reported to a public meeting the same evening at the City Terminus Hotel; working-men are co-operating largely in this movement, and a committee has been appointed to form a committee for popularising Australian meats with the working people.

The Shah of Persia has had a magnificent reception; hospitality became a national passion; Royalty, the Government, the Corporations, nobility, and the populace vied in the cordiality of their welcome. Perpetual crowds thronged his steps and acclaimed his presence; no expense was spared to place instruction and amusement within his reach; the chronicle of his movements shows how hardly he was worked by day and night. Leaving Brussels at 5 a.m., June 18th, the Shah embarked at Ostend on board the Vigilant, and was escorted across the Channel by twelve powerful ironclads, and ships and yachts innumerable; the day was calm and the spectacle superb; the Shah was not seasick. At Dover the Persian monarch was received by Princes and Ministers, and, reaching Charing Cross about six, was welcomed by the Prince of Wales. From thence he proceeded to Buckingham Palace through crowds of excited spectators, and spent several hours in telegraphing direct to Teheran, and receiving replies. On June 19 he visited the Prince of Wales, who held a diplomatic reception at Buckingham Palace, and also attended a banquet at Marlborough House, winding up with a grand ball at Stafford House. On June 20 the Shah visited and lunched with the Queen. A ball and banquet took place at Guildhall with costly preparations; 3000 invitations were issued; the streets were crowded till past midnight. On June 21 he inspected the Woolwich Arsenal, under the conduct of the Duke of Cambridge, lunched with the officers of the Royal Artillery, and witnessed a review of horse and foot artillery on the Common. In the evening he attended a special performance at the Italian Opera, swarms of angust personages being present. On June 22 (Sunday) the Shah visited the Zoological Gardens. On June 23 he visited Spithead, and witnessed the largest assemblage of fighting ships any nation could produce; multitudes were present, and gave the Shah a splendid ovation. In the evening he visited the International Exhibition, and attended a concert in his honour at the Albert Hall. On June 24 there was a brilliant review of 8000 troops in Windsor Park, when the Shah in the impulse of delight presented a jewelled sword to the Duke of Cambridge; in the evening Earl Granville gave a grand banquet at the Foreign Office. On June 25, owing to fatigue, the Shah failed to pay his intended visit to the Bank, but in the afternoon went to the Tower, and thence by steamer to Greenwich, and lunched with the Lords of the Admiralty in the painted hall of the hospital, and concluded the day at a State ball at Buckingham Palace. June 26 and 27 were devoted to Liverpool and Manchester, spending the two nights at Trentham, as the guest of the Duke of Sutherland, whose gardens enchanted the Shah. On June 28 he returned to London at Chiswick, given in his honour. The Queen, the Royal Princes and Princesses, and illustrious foreigners, formed part of the distinguished company. On June 29 (Sunday) the Shah and suite were photographed at Buckingham Palace; he entertained the French Ambassador at breakfast, and in the afternoon drove to Kew and Richmond. On June 30, in the morning, the Shah witnessed experiments with fire engines and escapes, directed by Captain Shaw in the gardens of the palace. After holding a reception he proceeded to the Crystal Palace, where a splendid fete was prepared; the display of fireworks was somewhat marred by the rainfall. On July 1st he visited the Bank, the Tower, St. Paul's, and Westminster Abbey; and in the afternoon attended Mrs. Gladstone's reception and the sittings of both Houses of Parliament. On July 2nd he paid a farewell visit to the Queen at Windsor, and after waiting on the Prince and Princess Christian at Frogmore, and inspecting Prince Albert's mausoleum, he returned to town and spent the evening at Madame Tussaud's. On July 3rd an informal visit was paid to the Crystal Palace, where the Shah spent several hours watching the fish in the aquarium and wandering through the grounds. In the evening he went to the International Exhibition. On July 4th he visited St. Thomas's Hospital, and called upon the Prince of Wales and the Czarovna, attended a Garden party at the Duke of Argyll's, and finished up with opera at Drury Lane. On July 5th he embarked at Portsmouth for Cherbourg, and reached Paris on Sunday evening, an official reception taking place at the Arc de Triomphe. The Shah has been immensely pleased with what he has seen, and the enthusiastic welcome everywhere accorded him. Russia is enraged at this demonstrative hospitality; her journals have taken to vilifying us, and ascribing our cordiality to spite against Russia rather than friendship for Persia. Sir Henry Rawlinson acted as interpreter, and the telegraphic wire communicating with Persia was brought into the Shah's apartments.

At a recent meeting of the Royal Geographical Society, Sir Bartle Frere, the new President, announced that the Queen had granted a pension of £300 per annum to Dr. Livingstone. The relief expedition is advanced in preparation. Livingstone's son, Thomas, is settled as a merchant in Egypt. The gold medal received from the King of Italy for the traveller was handed to Miss Livingstone.

Sir Bartle Frere has not failed after all in his Zanzibar mission; the Sultan, after refusing to sign the treaty and issuing a proclamation encouraging his subjects to do as they had always done, was brought to his senses by a war-ship from India—the alternative being to sign an anti-slavery treaty or suffer bombardment; he chose the former and has closed the slave market. Almost simultaneously we have the glad tidings of Sir Samuel Baker's safety and success; he arrived at Khartoum June 29, in good health, with other Europeans of his party. A telegram announces that the country as far as the Equator is annexed by Egypt, and all rebellious intrigues and the slave trade completely put down, an orderly Government established, and the road open to Zanzibar. These triumphs inaugurate a new era for Africa.

A great meeting was held last week at Exeter Hall to denounce the introduction of the confessional in the Church of England. Earl Shaftesbury presided.

Public meetings have been held in London, Birmingham, and other towns, of Nonconformists to discuss Mr. Forster's proposed amendments to the Education Bill, and determine their future policy towards the Government. Mr. John Bright, in speaking at the Westminster Palace Hotel, counselled moderation, and deprecated decisive action.

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These cattle will be delivered at the yard within a reasonable time from day of sale. Inspection is invited, as they are very superior.

**G. F. WANT** has received instructions from Messrs. McDonald, Smith, and Co. to sell by public auction, at the Quarantine Grounds, Randwick, on FRIDAY, the 30th of September, at 3 o'clock, 31 pure Lincoln rams.

These sheep were selected from the celebrated flock of J. B. Kirkham, Esq., of Goulburn, for export to the colonies, by one of the best judges in Great Britain, and are of the best quality, principally in view of their suitability for stud purposes, and, as neither expense nor trouble has been spared in bringing them to Sydney, buyers may confidently rely upon the excellence of the stock on offer.

The attention of buyers is also specially called to the fact that the importation of sheep, &c., is now suspended for two years, and that, in all probability, will be the last opportunity that will occur during that period of obtaining stock of the above choice description.

The above sheep are now on view at Randwick. Samples of wool can be seen and full particulars obtained from

**G. F. WANT,** 273, George-street.

To Breeders, Dairy-men, and others.

**HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN** have been instructed by Messrs. Slocombe, Brothers, to sell by auction, at the Homebush, THIS DAY, 28th August, at 11 o'clock, 100 head of pure bred prime fat Durham cows, including magnificent roan heifer, and 1 white cow, in calf to an imported bull, from the celebrated herd of J. W. Chisholm, Esq., Woolgoolga, of the noted JWC brand.

**HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN** have been instructed by William Allison, Esq., to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, 28th August, at 11 o'clock, 100 fat wethers, from his Dahomey Stations by rail, and really prime.

**HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN** have been instructed by T. M. Loder, Esq., to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, 28th August, at 11 o'clock, 100 prime fat lambs, from his noted Bong Bong paddocks.

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## CONTINUATION SALE.

at the Residence of S. A. JOSEPH, Esq., 107, Macquarie-street North.

THIS DAY, 28th August, at 11 o'clock, THE VALUABLE COLLECTION OF GENUINE OIL AND WATER COLOUR PAINTINGS.

by  
O. Turner  
Nicholas Bercher  
Isaac Von Ostade  
W. C. Thoms, R.A.  
Van Horde  
W. G. Knoll, R.A.  
H. Nieuwen, jun.  
Rusland  
Gainsborough  
Paul O'Monaghan  
Philip Morier  
Macintyre  
Raworth  
Paul Radcliff  
Conrad Masters  
J. W. Currier.

At 12 o'clock.

**CHOICE WINES.**  
CLARETS—Marquis, 1865, St. Estephe, Chateau Palmer  
BURGUNDY—Volnay  
CHAMPAGNE—Moet's superior, Perrier's cabaret  
HOCK—Lieb-frau-Milch, Marbrunier  
SHERBERRY—Orange  
OLD PALE BRANDY—1859 vintage.

Highly Important and Attractive Unreserved Sale, THURSDAY, August 28, commencing at 11 o'clock prompt.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Connoisseurs, Lovers of the Fine Arts, Furniture Brokers, Collectors, and others.

**BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB** have been favoured with instructions from S. A. Joseph, Esq., to sell by auction, at his residence, No. 107, Macquarie-street, THIS DAY, August 28, at 11 o'clock.

The valuable collection of oil and water colour paintings. Choice wines. At 12 o'clock.

Full particulars in catalogues.

**FINEST MAURITIUS SUGARS.**

The only parcel in the market.

For positive Unreserved Sale.

About 2000 Bags

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## PERFUMES.

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**SPRING DRAPERY CLOTHING WOOLLENS HATS, &c.**

Ex Kingbridge.

To Warehousemen, Drapers, and others.

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At 11 o'clock each day.

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